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In compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants hereby submit the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. The enclosed documents were received in connection with an international search report for a corresponding international patent application under the PCT. The International Search Report, a copy of which is also included herewith, references each U.S. Patent document on the enclosed list.

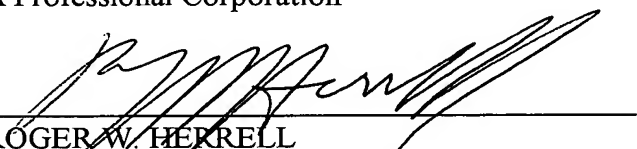
It is respectfully requested that the enclosed documents be fully considered by the Examiner of this application, and that the documents be printed on any patent which may issue therefrom.

It is believed by the undersigned attorney that the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97(b) apply to the submission of this statement because no official action has been issued yet in this application. Accordingly, no fee or certification is believed to be required. However, in the event it is determined by the Commissioner that a fee is required in order for this information to be considered, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee specified in 37 CFR §1.17(p) to Deposit Account 04-1406 of the undersigned attorneys. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for such purpose.

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